

Summary of ISB Policy Waiver Requests

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The Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (DVR) requested and was granted a waiver to the ISDN technology standard listed in the ISB IT Standards and Protocol Directions of April 10, 2002. DVR proposed the use of DSL as opposed to ISDN. The investment plan estimated a cost savings of approximately \$200,000 for the first year over 11 sites. DVR stated that the higher quality of service provided by ISDN was not required for this application. This waiver was granted on October 27, 2004.